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TO : FOR THE RECORD  
FROM : General Counsel  
SUBJECT: Daily Log Items - 17 July 1951

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1. Discussed with Dr. James Andrews the problem of getting copyright clearance to reproduce Russian Emigré Politics, edited by George Fischer and printed by Free Russia Fund, Inc. Dr. Andrews asked me to proceed with clearance and stated that if Mr. Fischer countered with an offer to sell for a reasonable amount, certainly not over \$2.00 a volume, that would suit our needs as well as reproduction clearance.

2. Discussed with [ ] and Dr. Tietjen the question of whether there were any further authorities or delegations for the Chief, Medical Staff, which he needs to carry out his function. After discussion of the medical programs, needs and the method for carrying out the programs, it was determined that the basic authorization to the Chief, Medical Staff, in [ ] was ample for foreseeable needs.

3. Discussed with Mr. Wolf and [ ] the appointment of certain retired officers to civilian positions in the Agency. Agreed with [ ] to coordinate on [ ] appointment in order to prepare appropriate notice to Navy paymaster.

4. Referred to [ ] inquiry from Chief, Personnel Procurement, concerning use of pseudonym for answering telephone calls. [ ] said he would handle.

5. Interviewed [ ] a graduate from Harvard Law School, and sent him to [ ] She called back to say she would have him tested and would talk to Training about him and would keep me informed of developments.

6. Conferred with Mr. Warner on the concept and practice of [ ] Agreed we should find out status, if necessary, to give a push to improving the setup.

7. Reviewed with Mr. Pforzheimer a letter to Senator McMahon forwarding an atomic energy estimate. Agreed that OSI draft should be amended to reflect more accurately the Agency positions in regard to the Estimate.